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October 10, 2000

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO FILE ANSWER

(October 19, 2000)

RE: WUTC v. AVISTA Corporation

Docket Nos. UE-991606 and UG-991607

TO ALL PARTIES OF RECORD:

On September 29, 2000, the Commission entered the Third Supplemental Order in this matter. On October 9, 2000, Avista Corporation and Commission Staff filed petitions for reconsideration of the order.

NOTICE IS GIVEN that the Commission calls for answers of the parties on the petitions for reconsideration. To be timely filed, answers must reach the Commission no later than October 19, 2000.

Questions regarding this letter should be addressed to Marjorie Schaer, Administrative Law Judge, at 360-664-1138.

Very truly yours,

Marjorie R. Schaer

Administrative Law Judge